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For:                      POSITION INITIALIZATION FOR A VEHICLE POWER  
                                 CLOSURE SYSTEM

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: